

16 January 2007

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Strathmore Lodge Nursing Home
Callan
Co. Kilkenny**

Integrated Inspection Report

Date Mr. Harvey

The Nursing Homes Inspection Team visited Strathmore Lodge Nursing Home, Callan on 20th December 2006.

There were 47 residents on this date. The Nursing Home is currently registered for 60 residents.

The following issues require your attention and action.

Article: 18.1 ***Bound register with required details in place.***

Breach: **The certified cause of death was missing in three instances pending certification from dates of death 13/2/06, 3/8/06, and 22/2/06.**

Required Action: **The outstanding certified cause of death is to be forwarded to the Health Service Executive.**

Timescale: **As soon as is possible.**

Article 12 (a) ***“Take adequate precautions against the risk of accidents to any dependent person in the nursing home.”***

Breches: **Unguarded portable heaters were observed in a number of rooms. In some cases these heaters were very hot and may pose as a hazard.**

Required Action: **Where the surface temperature of heaters exceeds 43°C the heaters shall be suitably covered/guarded.**

Timescale: **Immediately**

The Chairperson of the Inspection Team is to be notified on or before the above date(s) indicating the steps taken by the home to carry out the actions as required under the regulations.

Signed:

Chairperson

Inspection Team Member

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